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Re: Docket W-02105A-03-0303 Decision 67162

Here is our quarterly water report for the third quarter of 2009. Mt. Tipton Water Company is pleased to note that we had our lowest water loss of the year this quarter with 3.7%. Our field staff has been working diligently to repair leaks in the system and replace old meters that may be giving inaccurate readings. We feel that all of this hard work may finally be paying off and hope to maintain low water loss in the future per your ruling.

However, some of this data requires some explanation. The note about 3 burping lines is regarding a problem we had with air in some of our lines. The field manager had to essentially "burp" the lines to release the air, but this also caused some water spillage. This was a problem for the month of July, but was fixed by installing an air gap. The negative water loss we show for July is a result of overestimating water loss due to blow-offs, line breaks, and overflows. We feel that some of the high water loss we have showed in the past was due to underestimating these things so it is a work in progress to find the proper estimation level for various types of water loss.

Please let me know if you have any questions.
Thank you.

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Mt. Tipton Water Company Water Pumped and Sold 1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th Quarters 2009 Docket No. W-20105A-03-0303 and Decision No. 67162							
Month	Gal. Sold	Gal. Pumped	Gal. Lost	% Mth Loss	% Qtrly Loss	% Yrly Lost	#of Cust.
January	3,117,720	3,798,060	651,090	17.1%			740
February	1,782,665	3,087,910	1,245,245	40.3%			742
March	2,723,865	3,574,730	664,965	18.6%			734
1st Qrt	7,624,250	10,460,700	2,561,300		24.5%		
This quarter we saw 11 line breaks and repairs, 11 blow offs and we had 14 over flows trying to regulate the wells . We replaced 5 meters and repaired 3.							
April	331,710	3,647,860	255,950	7.0%			727
May	3,610,020	4,629,280	913,360	19.7%			728
June	3,604,650	4,536,400	832,250	18.3%			721
2 nd Qrt	7,546,380	12,813,540	2,001,560		15.6%		
We had 8 overflows this quarter along with 7 blowoffs, 4 water breaks and 1 fire. We replaced 30 meters.							
July	5,089,220	5,095,600	-366,000	-7.2%			711
August	3,962,950	4,831,470	580,520	12.0%			710
September	4,226,990	4,854,780	337,590	7.0%			702
3 rd Qrt	13,279,160	14,781,850	552,110		3.7%		
This quarter we had 6 line breaks, 12 blowoffs, 17 overflows, & 3 burping lines. We replaced 54 meters.							
October							
November							
December							
4 th Qrt							
Yearly Totals							